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 7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 8 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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10 Sonny Martinez; Jessica Martinez,
 11 individually and as the mother and
 Guardian Ad Litem for minors VJM,
 12 GRM, ARM, and EVM; and Joann
 Ramirez,

13 Plaintiffs,

14 v.

15 City of West Sacramento; West
 Sacramento Police Department; Jason
 16 M. Winger; David M. Stallions; Michael
 Duggins; Kenneth E. Fellows; Carl J.
 17 Crouch; Eric M. Palmer; Matthew S.
 Luiz; Louis Cameron; West Sacramento
 18 Doe 1 through 25; City of Stockton;
 Stockton Police Department; Dan T.
 19 Zwicky; Stockton Doe 26 through 50;
 20 Rafael Altamirano; and Doe 51 through
 100,

21 Defendants.

Case No. 2:16-cv-02566-TLN-EFB

AMENDED PETITION TO APPOINT
 GUARDIAN AD LITEM FOR
 MINORS; ORDER

22 Petitioners allege:

- 23 1. Petitioners are minor siblings. VJM and GRM are 15-year-old paternal
 24 twins; ARM is three years old; and EVM is 2 years old.
- 25 2. Petitioners have no general guardian and have not previously been
 26 denied the appointment of a guardian ad litem in this case.
- 27 3. JESSICA MARTINEZ is the biological mother of the minors. She
 28 resides in the City of Sacramento in this judicial district. Her mailing address is

1 C/O her attorney, Douglas R. Thorn, Thorn Law Firm, Olympus Corporate Center,
2 3017 Douglas Boulevard, Suite 300, Roseville, CA 95661. Ms. Martinez is a
3 competent and responsible adult who is willing to act as the guardian ad litem for
4 the minors in this case. The minors' interests are the highest priority and concern of
5 Ms. Martinez.

6 4. The minors require the appointment of a guardian ad litem to
7 prosecute the Complaint for damages for violation of their civil rights, which was
8 filed concurrently with the original petition.

9 WHEREFORE, Ms. Martinez and Petitioners move the Court for an order
10 appointing JESSICA MARTINEZ as the guardian ad litem to prosecute the minors'
11 claims for relief against the defendants.

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13 November 1, 2016

/s/ Douglas R. Thorn

Douglas R. Thorn
Attorney for Plaintiffs

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15 CONSENT TO APPOINTMENT

16 I, Jessica Martinez, consent to act as the guardian ad litem for my minor
17 children in this case.

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19 November 1, 2016

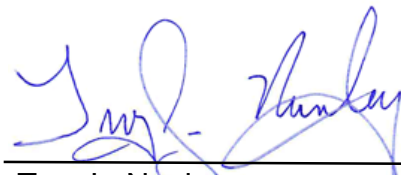
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Jessica Martinez

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21 ORDER

22 The Amended Petition for an order appointing Jessica Martinez as guardian
23 ad litem for Petitioners is GRANTED.

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25 Dated: November 2, 2016

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Troy L. Nunley
United States District Judge